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COWARDLY CRIME.

GREENSBURG, Pa. April 6.—John Wessel, a striking miner, was shot and instantly killed tonight while going from his home to an out building. It is not known who fired the shot. Wessel, it is alleged, had promised to go to work tomorrow morning. The shooting has created great excitement.

NATURE SPARES

The Stricken Rose From Grief.

What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the rose of mental suffering; for how poignant would be its grief to discover, in the height of its blooming glory, that a canker fed at its heart, and that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store-house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the investigations of scientists the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that burrows into the hair follicles. Newbro's Herpicide absolutely destroys this germ, thus permitting the hair to grow as nature intended. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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CASE WILL BE CONTESTED

Money Coming In From All Parts of U. S. to Condemned Captain's Aid—Trial Will Take Place in October.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The local harbor of the American Association of Masters, Mates, and Pilots of steam vessels, has raised more than 1,000 for the defense of Captain Van Schaick of the steamboat general Slocum and contributions are coming in daily.

When Captain Van Schaick was sentenced to a term of years for manslaughter because of his connection with the burning of the steamboat the association began to raise a fund to enable him to appeal and to give him the best legal aid possible.

Seattle sent \$100 and a promise of more. San Francisco sent \$150, and \$50 came from Honolulu. From Washington D. C., came \$81 yesterday, with a note saying that every licensed pilot except one in the harbor, had contributed. Up to date only three of the country's harbors have been heard of and it is believed that \$5000 will be raised before the case comes up on appeal in October. Captain Van Schaick is now out on bail.

COAL DEALERS PUNISHED.

BOSTON, April 6.—Secretary of State Olm suspended the license of the Metropolitan Coal Company of this city charged with fixing extortionate prices on coal since the coal strike was inaugurated.

PATTISON IS MOVED.

CINCINNATI, April 6.—Governor John M. Pattison who has been dangerously ill at Columbus for the past six weeks arrived here on a special train at 7:30 o'clock this morning. The Governor was immediately placed in an ambulance and driven to Christ Hospital on Auburn Avenue. He was accompanied from Columbus by Mrs. Pattison, their son, John Pattison, and Dr. Holt of Cincinnati. The trip from Columbus was made in slow time on account of the condition of the distinguished patient. Dr. Holt stated that the Governor stood the trip well and that he would be removed to his home at Milford, O.

Judge Andrew Hamilton is occupying a great deal of valuable newspaper space these days. He takes a quarter of a column one day, and the next it requires four columns of space to print the explanations and denials of the eminent gentlemen he referred to.

Now the railroads are to be liable, by act of Congress, for death or injury of employees, and the state—according to a supreme court decision in the case of Michigan—can tax them in good faith. This is certainly not the railroads' year.

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WANT A REPUBLIC

Russian Revolutionists Working to End Autocracy.

PLAN AN ARMED UPRISING

Revolutionary Leader in America Raising Money for Cause—Says That Next Revolt Will Be Backed By the Army.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The Times today says:

Some inside facts in connection with the new revolutionary movement in Russia were told yesterday by one of its chief agents who for the last five weeks has been in hiding in this city with a price of 50,000 roubles on his head laid by the Czar's government. This man, who for the present appears as Ivan Narodny, is 36 years old. He was the leader of the Cronstadt uprising last October and was the head of the provisional republic which, unknown to the outside world, existed in the Baltic provinces during three weeks in November and December last until it was snuffed out in an orgy of blood and excess by the Cossacks who killed Narodny's wife and two children and burned his home. It was then the price was set on Narodny's head. Prior to that he spent four years in the Fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul the grim bastille of the Czar's capital. M. Narodny comes to this country with credentials from the Russian military revolutionists for the purpose of raising funds to render effective the new Russian revolution. In this he will be aided by Nicholas Tchaykovsky who is known as the "Father of Russian Revolution," and by Maxim Gorky, the writer, who is due here next week.

Armed Revolution Next.

"Our next move," said M. Narodny, "will be more far reaching and entirely different from any of the movements that have preceded it. These have been little revolts; this will be an armed revolution. The uprisings that have gone before have been more or less local of nature and generally started by some one party or organization. This movement will sweep the country and will have behind it every organization working for social reform. Its ultimate goal will be not a constitutional monarchy but a republic."

"A few months ago many of the liberal organizations would have been satisfied with a constitutional assembly, and a constitution. Now we will not stop short of a republic. On that point there is complete unanimity among all the revolutionary bodies, who now for the first time are working harmoniously together through a central committee. Russia will be free."

Rely on the Army.

"In the coming revolution we place almost our chief reliance on the army. If we could not do so an armed uprising would be a folly. But the army is more prone to start a revolution than almost any party organization."

"I know the army very well, for I have been in touch with it for many years. A majority of the officers and the men in practically every infantry and artillery regiment in St. Petersburg and in Northern Russia are in sympathy with our movement now. Others will be won over before fall. The only uncertain element is the Cossacks and the cavalry regiments of the guard. But the latter have been reached by our propaganda. I would almost be inclined to say that the Cossacks are the only standby of the Russian government and they will desert when the government is unable to pay them."

M. Narodny was asked what influence the convening of the Douma would have on the revolutionary movement.

"None, whatever," he replied. "The people in the provinces will never be satisfied with the Douma. The leaders of the Liberals thought to whom the oppressed people looked for their future delegates to the national assembly have either been killed, cast into prison, sent to Siberia, or into involuntary exile."

"The government has placed in the hands of the officers supervising the elections of the provinces a list containing the names of candidates that must be elected. Some tool of the government places the nomination and the people are either coerced into voting for them or where this is impracticable they are declared elected on fraudulent counts. In large cities, however, where public opinion is better crystallized and under more competent leadership, the government cannot commit the same outrages as in the country

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district. There is a lack of such leaders especially in this true of St. Petersburg which besides in a sense is under the keen gaze of the outside world. But the Douma will in no sense be a body representative of anything except the existing government, and few of the people in Russia are fools enough to believe it will be.

Witte Betrayed Them.

"When M. Witte returned from the United States after the conclusion of the peace and took up the reins of government, our hopes centered on him for a time, for we looked upon him as another Moses, who had a glimpse of the Promised land. One of my friends had a talk with him and held out to him an offer of the co-operation of all the revolutionary organizations in his plans of reform, on the conditions that we were granted freedom of speech and the right of meeting in public. He assented, but he kept none of his promises."

"M. Witte undoubtedly meant well," added Mr. Narodny, "but the trouble with him is that he lacks character and backbone. He is completely in the hands of the grand Ducal ring as is the Czar. We do not blame all the excesses and outrages on the czar even. He is undoubtedly a young man with kindly disposition. But the tragedy of the Romanoffs seems to have culminated in him. He is insane—else things might have been different."

MUTINY ABOARD.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6. Capt. Esterbrook of the British tramp steamer Imbrado has applied to the authorities to help quell a mutiny. The crew is comprised entirely of Chinese and East Indians.

Pillsbury's Best Flour, Minneapolis, \$1.75 per sack. Geo. Lindstrom & Co.

The Yaquis of Mexico seems to be waiting for some one to come along and write them up as the last of the bad Indians.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Progressive Land and Building Association will be held at the Parker House in Astoria, Oregon, on Tuesday the 17th, day of April, 1906, at 7 o'clock p. m.

F. L. PARKER, Secretary.
Dated this 7th day of April 1906.

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